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SUBJ: METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT PROJECT, CALCUTTA

REF: STATE 027610

1. CONGEN CALCUTTA REPORTS (AND SOURCE AT RAILWAY BOARD CONFIRMS) THAT GOI PLANNING COMMISSION HAS ALLOCATED \$184 MILLION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PROJECT. WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN A COPY OF THE DETAILED FINANCING PLAN FROM THE RAILWAY BOARD.

2. ARRANGEMENTS FOR SUPPLY OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE PROJECT HAVE NOT YET BEEN COMPLETED. WHEN SOVIET WHEAT TEAM VISITED INDIA IN JULY 1973, IT WAS DECIDED THAT 15 PERCENT OF THE OVERALLY REQUIREMENT WOULD BE SUPPLIED BY THE USSR. ANOTHER 15 PERCENT WAS DEFINITELY NOT AVAILABLE FROM THE USSR. OF THE REMAINING 70 PERCENT, SEVERAL ITEMS SUCH AS ROLLING STOCK DC CHOPPER CONTROLS, AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT, AND SHEET PILE WOULD PROBABLY BE AVAILABLE ONLY FROM HARD CURRENCY SOURCES. JAPAN IS REPORTEDLY FRONT RUNNER IN AREAS OF AIR CONDITIONING AND DC CHOPPER CONTROLS.

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